

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Schacht, D.W. *et al.*
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AMENDMENT F AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED 27 APRIL 2010
(INCLUDING PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136)

Sir:

This paper is in response to the Non-Final Office Action dated 27 April 2010 in which a shortened statutory period of three (3) months was set for reply. Applicant hereby makes petition for extension of time of three (3) months in which to submit the present response. Authorization is provided herewith to charge the fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3) to Deposit Account No. **08-0750**.

AMENDMENT F UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Amendments IN THE CLAIMS begin on page 3 of this paper.

Following amendment herein, the total number of claims is 17 and the claim set contains two (2) independent claims. Therefore, Applicant does not believe any excess claim fee is required. However, authorization is provided herewith to charge any excess claim fees

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that may be required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(h) to Deposit Account No. **08-0750**.

REMARKS on the present amendment begin on page 6 of this paper.